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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS.

Pursuant to the call of Judge H. E. Haass, Chairman Board of Directors of the Hondo Chamber of Commerce, there was a meeting of members and citizens at the Chamber of Commerce Hall Tuesday night.

Secretary W. N. Saathoff read an Annual Finance Statement which is appended below.

On motion by Prof. Saathoff seconded by Garland Martin, it was voted to continue the work of the Chamber of Commerce through 1932 along the same lines as last year.

The terms of Judge Haass, J. M. Finger and C. J. Bless as Directors having expired, and the latter two gentlemen because of each having served for twelve years declining to accept re-election, Messrs. L. A. Mechler and George Schuehle were elected to succeed them, and Judge Haass was re-elected.

As the first step in the year's activities is the securing of funds, the chairman appointed J. M. Finger, V. P. King, Geo. Carle, Geo. Schuehle and W. N. Saathoff as a committee on soliciting subscriptions. This committee is to report to the Board of Directors at the call of the Chairman.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF HONDO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 1931.

RECEIPTS	
Subscription Cards rec. ....	\$2,984.50
Subscription Cards unpaid .....	139.00

Net Cash collected .....	\$2,845.50
Amount collected for Street Paving .....	\$5,109.94
Light current paid by Pool Hall .....	52.36
Gas paid by Pool Hall .....	25.59
Rent paid by Pool Hall .....	240.00

TOTAL .....	\$8,272.39
Overdraft at close of year .....	49.15
	\$8,321.54

### DISBURSEMENTS

Paid for Street Paving .....	\$5,095.71
Light current (Hall) .....	76.61
Street Lights .....	1,351.25
Water rent .....	27.00
Gas Bills .....	30.59
Janitor .....	106.00
Rent (Hall) .....	600.00
Meals (Election Judges) .....	6.00
Janitor Supplies .....	13.25
Advertising .....	1.50
Postage .....	25.00
Cleaning premises .....	1.00
Repairs, building and toilet .....	9.06

### METHODIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

With the coming of each Sunday there should be the urge of every citizen to avail themselves of every opportunity to become better citizens of these United States. There is no doubt but that the Church of Jesus Christ is the greatest contributing factor in the building of good citizenship. Avail yourself of the opportunity that is offered Sunday to come aside and worship. We welcome you at the Methodist Church.

Subject Sunday Morning: A National Law, Shall it be Repealed or Modified?

This important question deserves your very close consideration. This question is kept before us by a certain group. "Shall those who violate our laws be the ones to revise them? Or shall our laws be revised by those who keep them?" The answer to these questions will determine your action during the coming months. Do not miss the study of this question at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

Sunday school at 9:45, if you have been kept away by the unsettled weather or by any other cause, plan to be back in the School Sunday morning.

League services at 6:15 Sunday evening.

Evening Service at 7 o'clock, Subject: "Jesus Power over all, Persons and things."

P. E. LANCASTER, Pastor.

### THRESHER NOTICE.

If you have any seed you want threshed bring it January 25 and we will thresh it for you. CHAS. KRENMUELLER. 2tpd.

Night Watchman (salary) 900.00

TOTAL EXPENDED \$8,242.97

Overdraft at beginning of year 78.57

\$8,321.54

I congratulate the citizenship of Hondo on the above excellent showing for depression year 1931, a beautiful harvest year but extremely low prices prevailing for farm products.

Please sign up your support card and send to First National Bank for 1932, as soon as possible. Hoping for a better year financially, a cleaner and better Hondo. Let us all help support your town, churches, schools, merchants and business of every character. It is our town, my town, your town. With best wishes, Yours to Serve, H. E. HAASS, President. Hondo Chamber of Commerce and for the Directors.

### BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the morning service next Sunday, after a brief address by the pastor, the Lord's Supper will be administered. This beautiful ordinance memorializes in a striking way, the undying love of our Redeemer for us all. It is hoped that a large percentage of the membership may show their unfeeling love for Him whose death brings to us our eternal hope, by their presence in the service. Here is a little poem, which is at once beautiful and thought-provoking. Read it.

### This Year Is Yours.

God built and launched this year for you.  
Upon the bridge you stand  
It is your ship, aye, your own ship  
And you are in command.  
Just what the twelve-months trip will do  
Rests wholly, solely, friend, with you!

Your log book, kept from day to day—  
My friend, what will it show?  
Have you on your appointed way  
Made progress—yes or no?  
The log will tell, like guiding star,  
The sort of Captain that you are.

Contrary winds shall oft beset,  
Mountainous seas may press,  
Fierce storms prevail and false lights lure,  
You e'en may know real stress.  
Yet does God's hand hold fast the helm  
There's naught can e'er your ship o'erwhelm.

For weal or woe, this year is yours,  
Your ship is on life's sea,  
Your acts, as Captain, must decide  
Whichever it shall be;  
So now in starting on your trip,  
Ask God to help you sail your ship.

—Selected

Bible school at 10 A. M., preaching at 11 o'clock. Junior R. Y. P. U. at 6:15 P. M., preaching at 7 o'clock. Everybody most cordially invited to worship with us.

PASTOR.

### BABY CHICKS.

Baby chicks and custom hatching. Also hatching eggs. Pure bred white Leghorns. Chicks ten dollars per hundred. Custom hatching three cents per egg; hatching eggs seventy-five cents for 15, \$4.00 per hundred. Place your orders early as early chicks are the best and easier to raise.

J. P. LIPPOLD,  
Hondo, Texas.

### GIRLS ORGANIZE BASKETBALL TEAM.

After several weeks practice a large number of Hondo girls were sufficiently gathered together to form a basketball team. At a business meeting Tuesday evening, the team was organized under the name of "Hondo Hornets", with Miss Anne Davis elected captain and Miss Mary Ruth Cameron business manager. Miss Perry Chamberlain of the high school faculty has generously offered her services as Coach. Colors chosen were black and white, to be featured in the team uniforms.

Those reporting for practice are Misses Anna Leah Brucks, Mary Ruth Cameron, Anne Davis, Irene Haass, Gladys Fusselman, Irene Schweers, Tunselda Wurzbach, Viola Uhl, Mayme Earnest, Dorothy Ulbrich, Libby Shoor, Evelyn Kimmey, and Eleanor Heyen. Any other girls who wish to become members of the Hornets are welcome to do so; they may report to either the captain or the manager and be present at all practices on Monday and Tuesday evenings. Their assistance will be greatly appreciated.

The Hornets are trying to match games and any team who wishes to challenge them will please write to the manager, Miss Mary Ruth Cameron, at Hondo, Texas.

For their first game of the season the girls are trying to get a game with the San Antonio Junior College for Monday night. Watch for announcements and then give the Hornets your support.

Games will be played in Hondo, at the Fair Grounds.

### LARGE CROWD IN FOR TRADES DAY.

The business section of Hondo was lined with cars and the merchants report a splendid business for Wednesday, when the first Trades Day of 1932 was held. The day, though beginning with cloudy skies, turned into a warm sunshiny afternoon, bringing out trades people from all corners of the county and from adjoining counties.

Local people were more fortunate this drawing as the three big premiums were won by residents of Hondo and vicinity; Mrs. Regina Schmidt of Hondo won the cow, Mr. Pete Harlee the hog and Mr. Alfred Wiemers the chickens.

Other premiums were won as follows: Thermos jug donated by W. H. Windrow, Mrs. Emil Fuos; Sack of Sugar from the M-System; Casara; Ford Polish by McElroy Motor Co.; Mrs. Robert Kollman; Subscription to Farming, donated by Fletcher Davis Publications, Miss Dorothy Ulbrich; package by Hondo Lumber Co.; Mrs. S. G. Carter.

Next Trades Day will be Wednesday, February 10, 1932. Be there.

### MR. AND MRS. LIPPOLD HOSTS.

Mr. and Mrs. Meliff Lippold were charming hosts to the Elite Bridge Club and a few guests Saturday evening, January 9th.

Seven interesting games were played, after which Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman were awarded an attractive cut glass cake plate for high score among the members, while Mrs. Robert Bendele received a pretty utility tray for high score among the guests. Mr. Wilburn Van Fleet received a necktie for high score among the men guests.

A delightful salad course was served to the following members and guests: Mr. and Mrs. Volney Boon, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Windrow, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Connevey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman, Mr. and Mrs. Will Crow, Mrs. Robert Bendele, Mrs. Etta Langford, Misses Lela Hazelle Boyd, Ellen Tweedy, and Willie B. Halliburton, Messrs. Glenn Fluker, Marion McDowell and Wilburn Van Fleet.

### W. M. U. MEETS.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church had a very enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Mulcahy, Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. I. Bedell and Mrs. M. Mulcahy as hostesses.

Mesdames H. Crow and Jim Fusselman had charge of the program which was very interesting.

After the program delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Ed. Meister, Jim Fusselman, R. Merrill, Jack Fusselman, O. Crow, Henry Crow, Marvin Beal, L. C. Jones, Newell Wells, Miss Fanye Carle and the hostesses.

### DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The District Court of Medina County continues in session this week with the following Petit Jury for the Second Week of the January Term: Paul Koch, Fritz Fous, Oscar Moehring, Geo. Boehme, John Zuercher, W. J. Brucks, J. E. Muennink, Alfred Kauffman, Emil Fuos, Alfred Brucks, W. C. Scott, Eugen Huesser, W. J. Bendele, Max. H. Bippert, Archie Jagge, W. R. Bippert, F. A. Graff, Geo. Schmidt, R. W. Gaines, Fritz Droitecourt, Paul Koenig, F. A. Martin, Alfred J. Schmidt, Robert Koch, E. E. Heyen, E. A. Bendele, C. A. Van Fleet, Julius A. Haby, Otto Haegelin, G. R. Haby, Fritz Hartman.

The following indictments were returned last week by the Grand Jury: State of Texas vs. W. R. Tewes, negligent homicide.

State of Texas vs. Jimmie Wiseman, negligent homicide.

State of Texas vs. Ben Yarbrough, assault with intent to murder.

State of Texas vs. Guadalupe Garcia, murder.

At a request of the Grand Jury in its report to this Court at the present term that a finance committee be appointed by the Court, Louis Carle, Sr., J. M. Finger and H. F. King were therefore appointed as such to examine into the condition of the finances of Medina County and to make a report on or before the next Term of this Court.

### Proceedings.

Minnie Shelton vs. Eddie C. Shelton, divorce granted plaintiff, who was also given custody and control of their seven year old child, George Eddie Shelton, but the defendant shall have the right and privilege of seeing and visiting said child, but shall not take the child out of the State of Texas or out of the county where he is then living without an order of this Court giving such permission.

State of Texas vs. J. W. Graham, charge making false certificate by Clerk of county. Verdict, 2 years sentence to the penitentiary.

State of Texas vs. Ben Yarbrough, charge assault with intent to rape. Verdict, not guilty.

The case of the State of Texas vs. Guadalupe Garcia for the murder of Miguel Cortinez, Jr., was called Thursday, with the defendant pleading guilty to the crime. As we go to press the case is being turned over to the jury.

### JUDGE V. H. BLOCKER DEAD.

Saturday evening about 6:30 o'clock, after a lingering sickness of one year, Judge V. H. Blocker died.

He came to Hondo more than 40 years ago in pursuit of health and after regaining his health remained here and pursued his chosen profession in Medina County.

Funeral services were conducted in the home Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. P. E. Lancaster. After a short service there, his Masonic brethren took charge and conducted his remains to Oakwood Cemetery where, after the beautiful Masonic ceremony was said, he was laid to rest.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lulu D. Blocker, and two sons, William Blocker of El Paso, and V. H. Blocker, Jr., of Assuncion, Paraguay, South America.

A more extensive account of his life will follow later.

### THE BRIDGETTES.

Miss Doris Windrow entertained the Bridgettes and a number of additional guests at her home, Saturday afternoon.

At the conclusion of a number of games, Miss Gen Brucks held high score for members, and received a novelty elephant. Miss Anna Laura Welhausen held high score for guests and received a vase. Miss Evelyn Barnes received a bottle of perfume for consolation.

Refreshments consisting of hot chocolate, sandwiches and cakes were served. Plate favors were small baskets of mints.

Those present were: Misses Mary Ruth Wilson, Billy Fusselman, Virginia Ulbrich, Rosena Taylor, Mary Emma Finger, Evelyn Barnes, Lela Grace Reilly, Bernice Chancey, Ada Belle Carter, Milton Marie Merritt, Gen Brucks, Anna Welhausen and Doris Windrow.

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Mr. and Mrs. Matt Rath were visitors in San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Murray visited her daughter, Miss Pauline, in San Antonio Tuesday.

Master Billy Fly underwent a successful tonsil operation at the Medina Hospital last Friday.

Mrs. Jos. Palle has been on the sick list this week but is somewhat improved at last report.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W. Speece at residence opposite north-west corner of courthouse.

Mrs. Ida Smith and daughter, Mrs. K. Stovall and sons from San Antonio spent Tuesday in Hondo.

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Mrs. M. Beal and daughter, Toadie, and Miss Fanye Carle spent Tuesday in San Antonio with Mrs. R. G. Allen.

Mrs. J. N. Goodnight of Denver, Colorado, and Mrs. Harry Balzen paid this office a pleasant visit Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Grosse of San Antonio were welcome visitors at the Lutheran parsonage at Quihi last Sunday afternoon.

E. A. Bendele was a business caller at this office Wednesday and took advantage of the Express and FARMING club rate to renew.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Goodnight and son, Junior, from Denver, Colorado, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Balzen the past two weeks.

Mrs. F. R. Grube and daughter, Miss Dorothy, spent Sunday in Castroville, as the guests of Mrs. Adolph Tondre and daughter, Miss Mabel.

Mrs. Isaac Wilson has returned home after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. George Gilham, and family at Corpus Christi.

T. C. Barnes, the barber, has been laid up with the mumps this week and an extra man has been holding down his chair for him at the shop.

Alfred Rath of the City Bakery is on the sick list this week. His brother, Milton Rath, has been driving the bread truck during his indisposition.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jungman returned the first of the week from Houston and reported their son, Frank, convalescing from his attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Arnold Finger returned to her home in D'Hanis Monday after spending several days at the Medina Hospital while receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. Joe Riff and Mrs. Ed. Riff and daughter, Mary Ann, of Dunlay were here for Trades Day Wednesday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Robert A. Saathoff was a business caller at this office Saturday and renewed for both of our papers, taking advantage of FARMING'S club rates with the Express.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Goodnight and son, Junior, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Balzen and daughter visited O. P. Ross and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balzen at Tarpley Saturday and Sunday.

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# LA COSTE LEDGERETTES

From The LaCoste Ledger  
ANDREAS KELLER.

One of our oldest residents, Mr. Andreas Keller, died at his home here last Wednesday, December 30th, 1931, at 8:30 A. M. following an illness of many months duration.

He was born at Castrovillo on March 5, 1851, and had attained the age of 80 years, 9 months and 25 days at the time of his demise.

Mr. Keller was happily married to Miss Catherine Becker in St. Joseph's Church in San Antonio on November 4th, 1873, which union was blessed with three children. He leaves surviving him besides his widow, Mrs. Catherin Keller, one son, Edmund Keller, banker and merchant of LaCoste, two daughters, Mrs. J. A. Bendele of Devine and Mrs. Edmund Jungman of LaCoste, three brothers, Joseph and August Keller of LaCoste and Louis Keller of D'Hanis; one sister, Mrs. Benjamin Kempf of Castrovillo, 4 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren, besides a score of other near and dear relatives.

After the funeral services at the residence at 9:30 A. M. the remains were brought to St. Mary's Church, where a Requiem Mass was offered by Rev. James Marsollier, after which the corpse was taken to St. Mary's cemetery, followed by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends, where he was tenderly laid to rest. Rev. Marsollier performed the last sad rites of the Catholic Church. The funeral was under the direction of Horger Undertaking Co. of Hondo.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Paul, William and Alfred Keller, Alfred Krusch, Louis Jazze and Frank Graff, all nephews of the deceased.

This paper joins the many friends of the grief-stricken widow and children in extending our sympathies in this their great hour of sorrow.

May he rest in peace.

## CASTROVILLE FUR COMPANY TAKES PARTNER.

Mr. Joe A. Bader, proprietor of the 3-Point Fur Company, was a visitor at our office Monday and informed us that his fur business has grown to the extent where he was compelled to take in Mr. Lee Mangold as a partner.

He reports that the 3-Point Company bought over 1500 furs during the month of December and expects to buy more this month. Mr. Bader said that he made an offer on a few lots of fur, but was not accepted by the parties, who in turn shipped some to St. Louis and one lot to Dallas, and when the returns came back, they were less in each case, than he had offered.

While the depression is effecting every line of endeavor, furs bring good money in this neighborhood.

Gus L. Meyer from Atascosa was a business visitor here last Saturday. Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keller, a son, Saturday, January 2, 1932.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Zeller of Wetmore, Texas, a baby girl, Dec. 1st, 1931.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller were visiting relatives at Castrovillo Sunday.

Frank Moeller of San Antonio was visiting relatives and friends at Macdona Tuesday.

Joe A. Bader from 3-Point above Castrovillo was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf, Jr., of San Antonio were visiting relatives here Wednesday evening.

Miss Evelyn Clara Lutz of D'Hanis spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Biediger and sons were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mrs. A. P. Parma and sons spent several days the past week with homefolks at LaGrange.

Mrs. W. A. Luckenbach and children from Seguin spent New Year's Day with homefolks here.

Ernest Vogel from Stitzer, Wisconsin, is here on a few weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mechler at the Seuz.

Miss Annie Geiger from San Antonio was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Geiger, and family here on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mechler and family from the Seuz and Ernest Vogel from Stitzer, Wisconsin, were visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. Gus A. Keller spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Hugo Bourquin, and family in San Antonio.

Mrs. Theo. Trip and son, Lloyd, and Jos. O. Droitcourt were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tschirhart and babies at Castrovillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Annie Lessing and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Meckel and family at Kirby New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Christilles and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gutzeit in San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Schott from Castrovillo is staying with her daughter, Mrs. H. F. Keller, and family here for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert and son from here and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lutz and family from D'Hanis spent Sunday in San Antonio with relatives and friends.

Fred Jungman from Riomedina, Louis J. Bendele and two sons from Castrovillo were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex E. Jungman here Wednesday.

Misses Katherine, Emma and Gertrude Lessing, Messrs. Henry Lessing, Herbert and Walter Meckel took a spin out to Randolph Field New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Milam from Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knaus and son from San Antonio

spent Saturday and Sunday in the Castle of Knaus in George Eckle's Park.

E. J. Schott, breeder of thoroughbred horses, was a business visitor here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and family and Louis Schott from Castrovillo were visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keller and family here Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert and son Vernon Elroy, from here, Mr. and Mrs. Alex A. Haby and son, Erwin, from Riomedina and Miss Hilda Tondre from Castrovillo enjoyed a grand dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lutz and family at D'Hanis New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jaekle and daughter, Miss Toney, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Jaekle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Jaekle and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jaekle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Flack and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Haby and family all of San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Eckle and family here on New Year's Day.

## NOTICE OF HEARING TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS.

NO. 1278.

Notice is hereby given, to whom concerned, that DIVERSION LAKE CLUB, the postoffice address of which is San Antonio, Texas, did on the 14th day of December, A. D. 1931, file its application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which it applies for a permit to appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, from the Medina River, in Medina County, Texas, for game preserve, recreation and pleasure resort purposes, said water to be impounded in a reservoir formed by a dam known as "Diversion Dam," owned by the Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Improvement District Number One, across the Medina River in Bexar County, Texas, at a point approximately four (4) miles below the main storage dam known as "Medina Dam," also owned by said Water Improvement District, the storage capacity of the reservoir, created by the "Diversion Dam," to be 4500 acre-feet, and the said Diversion Lake Club proposes to use this impounded water for the purposes herein stated.

A hearing on the application of the said DIVERSION LAKE CLUB will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on MONDAY, JANUARY 25, A. D. 1932, beginning at ten o'clock A. M. at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board at Austin, Texas, this 15th day of December, 1931.

JNO. A. NORRIS  
C. S. CLARK  
A. H. DUNLAP,  
Board of Water Engineers.  
Attest: A. W. McDONALD, Sec'y.

The research department at Ohio State University reports the following answers given by school children in examinations:

A grass widow is the wife of a vegetarian.

A man who marries twice commits bigotry.

In Christianity a man may have only one wife, that is called monogony.

A sponsor is a bachelor wife.

A skelton is a man with his inside out and his outside off.

A goblet is a male turkey.

An epistle is the wife of an apostle.

A buttress is a woman who makes butter.

Solomon had 300 wives and 700 porcupines.

To germinate is to become a naturalized German.

— Texas Outlook.

Doc. Thompson says:

In strict accord with custom's plan

We stuff the turkey, and the man;

Then there comes that burning question,

What is good for indigestion?

Eat, drink and—regret it.

He is a wise boy who watches the woodbox and does his Christmas chopping early.

How blessed are these holidays.

They aid the Doc in many ways;

They bring him calls to the aching head,

And furnish dough for doctor's bread.

— Texas Outlook.

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# DEVINE NEWSLET

From The Devine News.  
SCHOTT FAMILY HAVE BIG RE-UNION NEW YEAR.

The August Schott, Sr., family had a big reunion on New Year, all the children of Devine, Castrovillo and Hondo, with the grandchildren were present in the home of the parents and grandparents and enjoyed a big dinner. In the afternoon the men went out to the home of Mrs. Jos. Kempf to see Mr. Dominic Schott, now in his 90th year, and unable to be at the reunion because of declining strength.

## DAVID BOLNER KILLED WHILE HUNTING.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt and family were called to Del Rio Sunday by a message which said their son-in-law, David Bolner, had been killed, not giving the particulars. A report in the San Antonio papers says Bolner, 33, was accidentally killed by his hunting companion, while on a hunt in Uvalde County. The funeral was held in Del Rio, Tuesday morning, and the Schmidt family returned late Tuesday. Deceased leaves his widow, who was Miss Sylvia Schmidt, of this place, and five children.

## FROM YANCEY.

We hope everybody had an enjoyable time during the holidays and are anxious to get back to work. All of our teachers came in Sunday and school has begun with teachers and pupils more enthusiastic to make the remainder of the term more successful.

We have had a slow rain for several days after the warm bright sunny weather for Christmas and New Year.

Claud and Erwin Burgen and Elroy Moffield have gone back to Smiley, College Station and Austin, respectively, after a pleasant stay with homefolks.

Miss Lucille Schultz spent the holidays at Midlothian, Miss Helga Block at Yorktown, Miss H. H. Hader at Smiley, Miss Mabel Dunham at Gonzales and Miss Vera Vaughan in Austin.

Miss Dorothy Burgen returned to Frio where she is teaching.

Prof. Roensch and family spent the holidays at Bellville.

Mrs. Emil Klein went to El Campo to be with homefolks, some of whom she had not seen in twelve years.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Faselier entertained Mr. and Mrs. Max Voet and daughters of San Antonio on New Year's Day; also Mr. Willie Faselier and family and Mr. George Faselier and family.

Mr. Leo Pettis left last week for Brownwood, after several weeks' stay at Delvalle where he has been gathering pecans for Mr. Dan McCrea.

Mrs. Paul Spellman and children returned to San Antonio last Thursday after spending Christmas here.

## FROM BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lanette from San Antonio spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nations and son, Clifford, from Somerset and daughter, Miss Inez Nations, from San Antonio spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biry.

Miss Ruby Heath returned to San Marcos to school after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hesth.

Mrs. P. Eichhorn from San Antonio is spending some time with her daughters.

Miss Ella Bader is spending some time with her Grandmother at 3-Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hanson and son from Overton, Texas, and Miss Elvira Biediger from D'Hanis spent a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Biediger.

Messrs. Burrells from George West spent a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wernette and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wernette spent Saturday in Hondo.

Mr. Matt Bader returned to school at San Marcos after a few days at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bader.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Breiten and baby spent last Sunday at Quibi.

Mrs. Geo. Schmidt and daughters from Hondo spent New Year's Day with her sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rihn and son, Alfred, spent New Year's at Riomedina.

Mr. Franklin Fowler of San Antonio spent the week-end with Ralph Bilhartz.

A birthday dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Billings in honor of Mr. Billings' 25th birthday, Jan. 2, 1932. At noon a bountiful dinner which consisted of turkey, salads, cakes and pies, was served. Those present were

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his mother, Mrs. Hattie Billings, Mr. and Mrs. John Tyra and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings and family of Tarpley and nephew, Felix Billings of Hondo, and Mr. and Mrs. John Watson and family of Biry. The evening was passed in playing games. After a pleasant day all left for home late in the evening wishing Mr. Billings many more such happy birthdays. There were 21 present. One Present.

## YANCEY LODGE NO. 1076 A. F. & A. M.

Whereas it has pleased the Creator of the Universe to remove from our midst our late friend and brother, J. W. McCaughan, and

Whereas it is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be had. Therefore, be it

Resolved by the Yancey Lodge No. 1076 that while we have with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our friend and brother who has been removed from our midst.

Resolved that in the death of Brother J. W. McCaughan this lodge laments the loss of a brother who was instrumental in organizing the Yancey Masonic Lodge, and who served it as its first master. A brother who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the order. He was an active member of the lodge whose endeavors were exerted for the welfare and prosperity of the lodge and those with whom he came in contact. He was a friend and brother who was dear to the lodge and the entire community.

Resolved that we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased, and that the heartfelt sympathy of this lodge be extended to them in their bereavement and afflictions.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of the lodge, a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of the departed brother, and one copy to the Devine News, and another to the Hondo-Anvil Herald.

Committee:  
H. G. WILSON  
J. P. NIXON  
P. D. McAnelly.

## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS.

In the matter of  
HERMAN SHOOR  
Bankrupt

No. 1932

TO THE CREDITORS OF SAID ESTATE: Notice is hereby given that the said Herman Shoor doing business under the name of The Popular Dry Goods Store of Hondo, Medina County, Texas, was duly adjudged a bankrupt on the 30th day of December, 1931, and that the first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be had on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock A. M., in the United States Court of Bankruptcy, 902 Alamo National Building, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, at which time and place the creditors may appear, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

Issued Jan. 4th, 1932.  
H. M. AUBREY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

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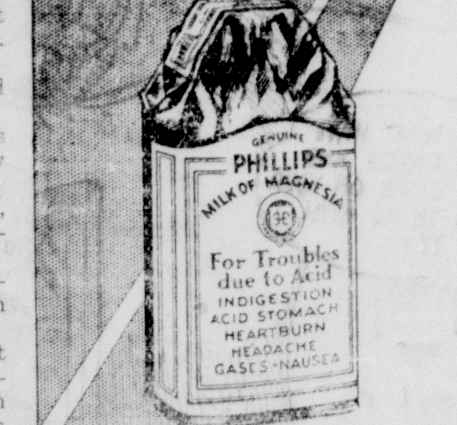
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## WHEN FOOD SOURS



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## PROGRESSIVE PARTY 1932 NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Tuesday, January 19, 1932 at Omaha, Nebraska.

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All reformers and third party leaders who are citizens of the U. S. A., are invited to attend and take part in this convention as it is intended that all of the reform parties are here to be united in ONE BIG PARTY for the purpose of making a successful 1932 campaign.

This convention will continue in session—until all of the business before it is satisfactorily transacted.

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For further information write us, DR. PENNY HOFFMAN, Secretary-Treasurer, National Progressive Party Committee, 1722 Cass Street, Omaha, Nebraska.

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TEXAS AND TEXANS.  
By  
Will H. Mayes  
"All Texans for All Texans"

**Making Best Of It.**  
Making the best of it will make it the best. Whatever a condition may be it pays to make the best of it. The more difficult it is, the more necessary it is to confront a problem with determination. It is surprising how many troubles will disappear when faced that way. A task when evaded becomes a double task, for both it and the evasion have to be overcome.

There is no need to try to fool ourselves into believing that 1932 is to be an easy year for everybody. For some it will, but for others it will bring difficulties hard to meet. There is nothing to be gained, however, by shirking the responsibilities that arise. Perhaps the hardest thing for many will be to adjust themselves to the new situation of carrying on under the declining values. Some one has said: "It is an easy step from corn pone to plum pudding, but a hard one from plum pudding to corn pone." Put it if it is to be made, the best thing is make it as quickly and gracefully as possible.

**Texas Is All Right.**  
Most of us have short memories. The real history of Texas started from a depression that drove Moses Austin from Missouri to seek a new fortune in a new country. At his death he passed his task on to his son, Stephen. Texas was almost destitute of any wealth except its resources, in which the Austin colonists found it rich beyond all dreams. All those resources are still here, as abundant as in the beginning, and increased a hundred fold or more by the discoveries and ingenuity of its citizens. Texas is preparing to show the world these resources and their development in the past one hundred years in a great Centennial Exposition in 1936. Texans themselves need to be reminded of these things. It will give them courage to go forward to still greater achievements and make them ashamed that they have ever weakened, even the least bit, in their faith in the great resourcefulness of their great State and its still greater citizenry. So long as we are Texans in the real spirit of its founders there can be no limits to our efforts and our accomplishments.

**Winter Shipments.**  
While people "an North" have been shivering in winter's blasts, Texas has been busy shipping them trainloads of fruits and vegetables gathered from open orchards and gardens. From three counties of the lower Rio Grande Valley alone more than 5,000 cars have been shipped this winter and shipments are still being made. These have been increased by trainload after trainload from farther up the Rio Grande river and from points north as far as Central Texas. Other trainloads of turkeys, chickens, eggs, butter and other farm products have been going to feed the people of other states, and still we have left over enough of everything to feed and clothe every citizen of Texas until more crops are made. A hundred million containers of food are stored on pantry shelves in Texas homes and new crops are growing.

**Winter Bathing.**  
Winter bathing parties have become a pastime in Texas this winter. It is not at all unusual to see swimmers enjoying the waters of Texas bathing beaches and swimming pools and basking in the sunshine in bathing suits. Northern tourists have been a little shy at first at joining winter bathing parties, but enjoy the sport after finding the water as warm as they have been accustomed in summer. Texas needs more publicity as a winter resort.

**Should Know Texas.**  
Returning from a meeting of the Texas Centennial Committee at Austin, R. B. Creager, member of the committee from Brownsville, suggested to the people of the Rio Grande Valley that they move a section of the Lower Valley to the Texas Centennial wherever it might be held in 1936. Not a bad idea. All Texans should know all Texas. Let's get acquainted.

**Kleberg Back Home.**  
Congressman Kleberg of the San Antonio district, Texas' newest member of Congress, rolled up his sleeves immediately on getting to Washington and began working for Texas. At home for the holidays, he met groups of his constituents to learn their wants and needs more definitely. He told former service men that he favored a veteran's bureau hospital at San Antonio with 1,500 beds, and let labor union representatives know that he opposed the employment of soldier labor on government construction work and competition of such labor with civilian workers.

**Running For Congress.**  
Prospects are that there will be a score or more candidates for Congressmen at large from Texas, there being three places to fill. It is so

easy for a citizen who is popular in his own locality to figure that he can get enough votes to lead in such a race of many entries that many are induced to enter. One woman has already announced—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner, popular writer and club worker of the Panhandle section.

**Cuero Prospers.**  
Cuero and DeWitt county do not know what "depression" means, except as they hear about it in other sections. The reason is found in one word—diversification. Under the leadership of active county agents, the farmers are growing every crop found adaptable to that section and are getting prices that, while not the highest, insure a profit. To the farm fruit and vegetable crops they add turkeys and other poultry, eggs and dairy products, and then try first to live on the crops they make at home. Such a program will insure prosperity not only in DeWitt but in every other Texas county. Cuero reports \$130,000 in building permits in 1931 and the completion of \$110,000 of building in 1931 started late in 1930. There was not a business failure in the town in 1931.

**Failures.**  
While many failures may be expected in 1932, the number probably will not exceed that of 1931. A study of such as are reported will convince almost any one that most failures are from needless causes. Too often, it is from a desire to have a business grow too rapidly, or from lack of information as to the needs of the business in a given territory. Often it is from ignorance of the business itself. Many times it is because of the exploitation of promoters. At other times, it is due to spreading over too much territory or engaging in "side lines" in which experience is lacking. "Subsidiary" enterprises often result calamitously. A power company, recently placed in receivership, had eleven subsidiary organizations; a big bank closed at San Antonio had about as many. Practically every bank failure has been caused by over lending or by eagerness to make large profits.

**Profit From Turkeys.**  
Starting the season with eight turkey hens, a Dimmit county farmer sold \$211 worth, gave one to the local editor, had plenty for family use and has 20 hens worth \$2.00 each left as a start for the next season. The feed was all home grown and the entire receipts were almost net. Scores of Texas farmers can match this record.

**Jasper County Park.**  
Through the liberality of a generous land owner, Jasper county is to have a 50 acre State Park, which has already been donated and accepted. It adjoins the State's large fish hatchery near Jasper. Funds will be raised locally for its improvement.

**School's Model Pasture.**  
The vocational department of the Taylor public school has a model pasture in which experiments are conducted in every kind of grass and clover believed adaptable to the locality. From it farmers will be able to see growing side by side the grasses best suited for their uses. A good idea that should be passed on.

**Church Gets Money.**  
Baptists of Texas have raised in the past few months three-fourths of the \$6,350,000 Texas budget set as the goal in a campaign, about 50 per cent of the membership having contributed to the fund. This proves assertions of "hard times" in Texas.

**Firm Gives Bonuses.**  
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## CONSTITUTION COMING.

To the Mayors, County Judges, Chambers of Commerce, Newspapers, City School Superintendents and County School Superintendents of South Texas.

We trust you will pardon this form of letter, but innumerable details make it necessary. The famous old frigate "Old Ironside" now known as THE CONSTITUTION will visit in the Port of Corpus Christi from February 16 to 23.

The U. S. S. Grebe, a mine-sweeper, will act as her escort, and an effort is being made to have a U. S. destroyer and a coast guard cutter in the Port at the same time, so all visitors will have an opportunity to see some of Uncle Sam's modern ships as well as this old ship of American history fame.

Because of limited accommodations aboard the Old Constitution, we have deemed it wise to designate certain days for various communities in South Texas, and to offer our cooperation to the officials of those sections, in order to give every citizen and particularly the school children the pleasure of visiting the Old Constitution.

We have set aside Wednesday, February 17th, as San Antonio and Adjacent Territory Day, and trust you gentlemen will find it convenient to confer in your respective communities as to detailed plans for the visit of your citizens.

Your cooperation in the matter of publicity will be appreciated and we are suggesting to your school authorities that a holiday be given all who wish to make the visit as it will be an educational advantage, seldom offered our school children in this section of the country.

A suitable program, commemorating the 200th anniversary of the Father of Our Country, will be staged on February 22, but should extraordinary crowds come to the city on that day it might be impossible for all to visit on The Constitution, hence the separate days.

We assure you we shall do everything in our power in Corpus Christi to assure every visitor a courteous treatment while in the city, and shall appreciate your suggestions as to how to further cooperate with you.

Yours very truly,  
Mayor E. F. FLATO,  
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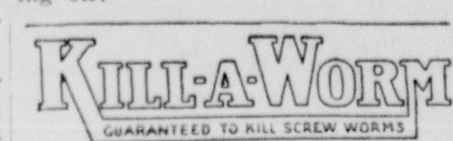
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Second Prize.....\$100  
Third Prize.....\$75  
Fourth Prize.....\$50  
Fifth Prize.....\$25

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hasenbeck and Misses Margaret and Mary Langfeld all of San Antonio, stopped in Hondo Sunday morning on their way to D'Hanis, where the Misses Langfeld enjoyed a family gathering. Later Mr. and Mrs. Hasenbeck with Herman Moebius took a spin through Vandenberg, New Fountain and Quilhi. The above mentioned returned to San Antonio late in the evening.

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### E. R. Weinberger Co.

No. 113  
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of

## THE HONDO STATE BANK

At Hondo, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1931, published in the Hondo Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 15th day of January, 1932.

### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$ 91,872.50
Loans secured by real estate	7,145.00
Overdrafts	1,128.52
Other bonds and stocks owned	24,319.26
Banking House	6,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,168.65
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	9,300.00
Cash in bank	11,229.42
Due from approved reserve agents	9,674.78
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	5,096.08
Other Resources	22.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$167,956.71</b>

### LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	1,620.78
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	126,335.93
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>167,956.71</b>

STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Medina.

We, H. F. King, as President, and J. R. Chancey, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. F. KING, President,  
J. R. CHANCEY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, A. D. 1932.

(L. S.) HENRY MERRIMAN,  
Notary Public, Medina County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:  
P. JUNGMAN,  
W. G. MUENNINK,  
D. H. FLY,

Directors.

### ENTRANCE PRIZE

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Hugo Batot was a business caller at this office Saturday.

J. E. Murphy was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

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Miss Chellis Earnest of Uvalde is the guest of her cousin, Miss Mayme Earnest this week.

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Miss Mae Routt was a business caller at this office Tuesday. Friends of the Routt family will be sorry to learn that Mrs. Routt continues quite feeble since sustaining injuries from a fall some months ago.

Misses Ava and Armour Lee Embrey and Mr. Clarence Murphy of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday afternoon. Miss Ava remained as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Abbott.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN, ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU; OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU? For Every Form of Insurance See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas, Since 1907.

Chas. Krenmueller was a business caller at this office Tuesday and renewed for both of our papers, taking advantage of FARMING'S club rates with the Freie Presse. Mr. Krenmueller has a thrilling announcement elsewhere in this issue.

H. E. Haass, Attorney-at-Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Company. Road Maps of Medina County, cloth, \$5; paper, \$3. 1t

The people from Hondo who attended the meeting of the Castro Colony Historical Society at Castroville Sunday were Mr. S. A. Jungman, Prof. W. N. Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass, Sr., Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass, Mrs. Fletcher Davis and Misses Anne Davis and Irene Haass.

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Official Statement of Financial Condition of the

## D'HANIS STATE BANK

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### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$ 50,007.35
Loans secured by real estate	500.00
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	11,175.00
Other bonds and stocks owned	6,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	881.25
Cash in Bank	4,226.40
Due from approved reserve agents	16,089.13
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 88,879.13</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 88,879.13</b>

### LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	10,000.00
Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, net	1,387.64
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	59,609.50
Time Certificates of Deposit	7,789.32
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	92.67
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 88,879.13</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 88,879.13</b>

STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Medina.

We, E. Zander, as President, and J. P. Ephraim, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. ZANDER, President,  
J. P. EPHRAIM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, A. D. 1932.

(Seal) ALF. ZINSMEYER,  
Notary Public, Medina Co., Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:  
LISTON E. ZANDER,  
ERIC ROTHE,  
JACOB REILY,

Directors.

Renewed and new subscribers to this paper for the past week are as follows:

J. A. Powell, Hondo.  
Henry Batot, Hondo.  
Robt. A. Saathoff, Hondo.  
Andrew Haby, Riomedina.  
Henry Vonflie, Castroville.  
Aug. J. Mangold, Castroville.  
Joe A. Bader, Castroville.  
E. A. Wurzbach, San Antonio.  
Miss L. C. Ihnken, Castroville.  
Otto Haegelin, Castroville.  
Joe L. Tondre, Castroville.  
Mrs. Adolph Tondre, Castroville.  
Jacob Reinhart, Sabinal.  
Ferd. Nester, D'Hanis.  
Aug. Saathoff, D'Hanis.  
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A. E. Jungman, LaCoste.  
Mrs. Joe Zerr, San Antonio.  
W. B. Odum, Hondo.  
Mrs. J. H. Pluck, Hondo.  
J. E. Murphy, Hondo.  
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## "GARNER FOR PRESIDENT" MEETING TO BE HELD IN SAN ANTONIO, FEBRUARY 22

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A State-wide meeting will be held in San Antonio, February 22nd, at 2 P. M. to indorse John N. Garner of Texas for President on the Democratic ticket. The meeting will be held at the City Auditorium and a number of prominent speakers will be on hand. It will be a Democratic assembly and no reserved seats. All those who believe that John Garner of Texas is the man to lead the Democrats to victory in 1932 are cordially invited to attend this rally. Strong support is being given this movement by men of National reputation and thousands of his loyal friends in Texas are earnest in their support to see this real Democrat placed before the National convention. Many Garner for President Clubs are being organized over the State.

The Uvalde Garner for President Club is offering a cash prize of \$25 for the best slogan not exceeding ten words on "Garner for President". Letters should be addressed to the club at Uvalde, Texas.

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Mr. Ben Schuehling paid this office an appreciated call this morning.

Mr. Otto Haegelin of Castroville was a pleasant visitor at this office Monday.

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### YOU CAN GET WORK SHOES TO FIT YOUR FEET AND YOUR POCKET BOOK AT H. S. BULGERIN'S.

Miss Louise Metzger was an appreciated caller at this office this morning and renewed her subscription to this paper.

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## GRAIN GRADING SCHOOLS.

The program for grain grading schools to be held January 20th to 22nd in San Antonio, Hondo, Floresville and Gonzales to acquaint farmers and dealers of the South with the requirements of the federal grain grades on corn and sorghums and how to meet them, includes demonstrations and shows in addition to explication of grades and grading, according to an announcement from the Extension Service at Texas A. and M. College.

Grain grades and grain inspection will be explained by E. L. Morris, Extension Service Supervisor, at San Antonio; a demonstration of grain grading will be given by C. W. Morris, Federal District Grain Supervisor, at Floresville; the control of insects in stored grain will be discussed by R. R. Reppe, entomologist in the Extension Service, at Hondo; and J. F. Shanley, Chief Federal Grain Inspector at San Antonio, will lead the discussions.

The success of similar schools held last year which resulted in an almost 100 per cent increase in the cars of "White" corn shipped out of the Southwest last summer leads representatives of the Federal Grain Inspection and Inspection Service of the United States Department of Agriculture to expect increased attendance and interest in the school this year.

The school in San Antonio January 20 is in charge of County Agent W. Mally and will be held in the Extension Publishing Company Building. In Hondo on January 21, County Agent C. M. Merritt is in charge. The meeting to be held at the Chamber of Commerce Hall, on January 22nd at the Chamber of Commerce Hall in Floresville, County Agent E. D. Beck will have charge. At Gonzales January 23rd, County Agent J. M. Saunders has arranged for the meeting to be held at the Chamber of Commerce.

## COLONIAL COVERINGS.

Saturday brings to the Colonial Theatre screen that stark, realistic drama, "A House Divided", with Walter Huston, Kent Douglass, and Helen Chandler. It is the story of a man of hate's rule over his grown-up and intended mail-order wife. A terrific climax is brought about by that powerful element, the Pacific Ocean. This picture has been billed heretofore but was never shown—it's a new picture!

Comedy—sparkling scads of it—and drama, romance, pathos are the elements which get a thorough workout in the hands of a very capable and very large cast of stage and screen favorites in "Girls About Town", Paramount's lavish and brilliant talkie which comes to the Colonial Theatre on Monday and Tuesday. The Americans have a word for what the central characters of "Girls About Town" do. It is "gold-digging". Kay Francis and Lilyan Tashman play these parts as inveterate runette and blond dazlers who prey upon the easy spenders who come to the big city for business and pleasure. Eugene Pallette and Joel McCrea are the masculine interest in the picture.

Marlene Dietrich, Gary Cooper, Dolph Menjou, Ulrich Haupt, Julie Compton, Francis McDonald, Albert Conti and others bring a notable cast to the Colonial screen Thursday and Friday, in the entertaining Paramount feature "Morocco". The hero is a soldier in the Foreign Legion; the heroine is a performer in a music hall, who becomes attracted to the hero when he defends her from unfriendly criticism. They become acquainted and fall in love with each other. A surprising climax brings the picture to a close.

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## NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE. ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

### STATE OF TEXAS

### COUNTY OF MEDINA

Whereas, Sunflower Oil Corporation, made, executed and delivered its certain chattel mortgage, conveying to H. B. Wernette, the herein-after described chattels and personal property, securing the payment of a certain note in the principal sum of Twelve Hundred sixty-eight Dollars and .76 (\$1268.75), with interest from date at 8 per cent per annum, which note is now long past due and unpaid, said chattel mortgage was duly forthwith filed with the County Clerk of Medina County, Texas;

The said Sunflower Oil Corporation, having failed and refused to pay said note, notice is hereby given that I, H. B. Wernette, Mortgagee, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said chattel mortgage, will sell the following described personal property and chattels to-wit:

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at public sale for cash at the Court House door in the City of Hondo, Medina County, Texas, between the Hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. on Saturday, January 23, 1932, and will make to the purchaser or purchasers a good and valid bill of sale. Witness my signature on this the 4th day of January, A. D. 1932.  
H. B. WERNETTE,  
Mortgagee.

### LADIES' BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Horace Bradley was hostess of a seven table bridge, one day last week, honoring the members of the Ladies' Bridge Club and a group of additional friends. Fern and pot plants in bloom formed a simple but charming setting for the party.

Club prizes were awarded Mrs. L. J. Brucks for high and Mrs. Earl Poon for consolation. Mrs. Melliff Lippold won high score prize for the guests and Mrs. J. G. Barry won the consolation.

The hostess served a delectable salad course and coffee at the conclusion of the bridge.  
Those present were Mesdames L. J. Brucks, Earl Boon, W. O. Rothe, F. H. Schweers, Earl Starnes, Alice Reinhart, O. B. Taylor, O. H. Miller, Robert Bendeale, Barnitz Carle, L. E. Kollman, H. J. Meyer, E. J. Murray, E. J. Leinweber, Arthur Rothe, Eric Rothe, W. H. Smith, Eugene Mofield, Elsie Worden, J. G. Barry, T. B. Knopp, J. M. Finger, Charles Monkhouse, Jack Lacy, Melliff Lippold, Volney Boon, Robert Kollman and Miss Lillian Brucks.

### TO MY PATRONS.

Having sold my Service Station business in Hondo to Mr. Henry L. Muennink, I wish to extend to one and all my sincerest thanks for the patronage that you gave me and to solicit a continuation of your goodwill and favors to my successor.

Yours in appreciation,  
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## LUTHERAN LADIES ENTERTAINED.

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church met with Mrs. R. W. Richter on Wednesday afternoon, January 6. The meeting was opened by a reading from Scripture and prayer by Reverend Liebfarth, who also gave a review of the preceding chapters of The Book of Acts which is being studied by the society and an instructive talk on the 9th and 10th chapters, which was greatly enjoyed.

Reports were given by the treasurer and various committees. The election of officers followed with the following results: President, Mrs. Ben Oefinger; vice-president, Mrs. H. E. Haass; secretary, Mrs. Alice Reinhart and treasurer, Mrs. Anna Stiegler. All were re-elected.

The business having been transacted a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

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Do not let pullets roost on tree limbs in the fall when they start to lay. This is a habit some pullets acquire on hot summer nights. To break them of the habit, confine them to the laying house for a few days, or clip the flightfeathers on one wing.

## The Fall of Rome

The pomp and power of Rome is gone, While other nations carry on. Rome was wasteful, would not save; To idle pleasures her time she gave. Though she was rich she lived too high, Decay set in, and she passed by. And so with man who lives too fast, He, too, will fall; he cannot last. The Hondo State Bank on the fate of Rome Sees a lesson we should all take home.

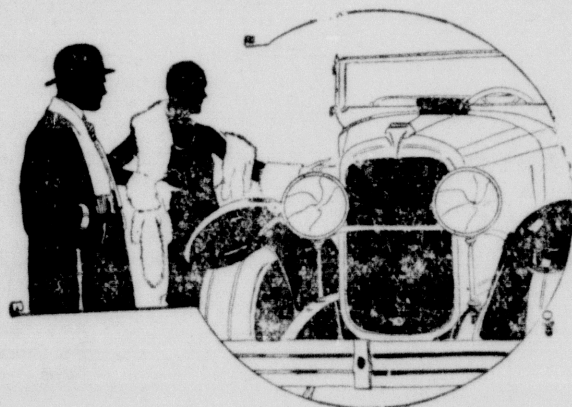
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## HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETS.

The Castro Colony Historical Society met at the Parish Hall, Castroville, at 2:30 P. M. Sunday for the purpose of appointing a committee for the beautification of September Square. The committee was appointed as follows: Herbert Mills, Chairman, Mrs. H. V. Haass, Jr., Miss Ruth Lawler, Mrs. Gabe Hans, Mrs. Louis Schott, Mr. Joe Steidle and Mr. Herbert Tondre.

The committee is to make plans for planting trees and shrubbery on the square where the monument to the settlers of Castroville is laid. The plans are to be presented to the Society at a meeting at 2:30 P. M. Sunday, January 17, 1932 in the Parish Hall of Castroville. All members and directors of the Society should be present.

## JUNIOR BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Barnitz Carle delightfully entertained the Junior Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon. The reception hall and living room were very Spring like with blooming geraniums scattered about. Five games of bridge were enjoyed with Mrs. Eugene Mofield holding high score and Mrs. Garland Martin low.

Delicious pie and coffee were served to the following guests and members: Mesdames Jack Lacy, L. E. Kollman, Garland Martin, Henry Merriman, Elsie Worden, Eugene Mofield, J. P. Ephraim, Miss Fanye Carle and the hostess, Mrs. Barnitz Carle.

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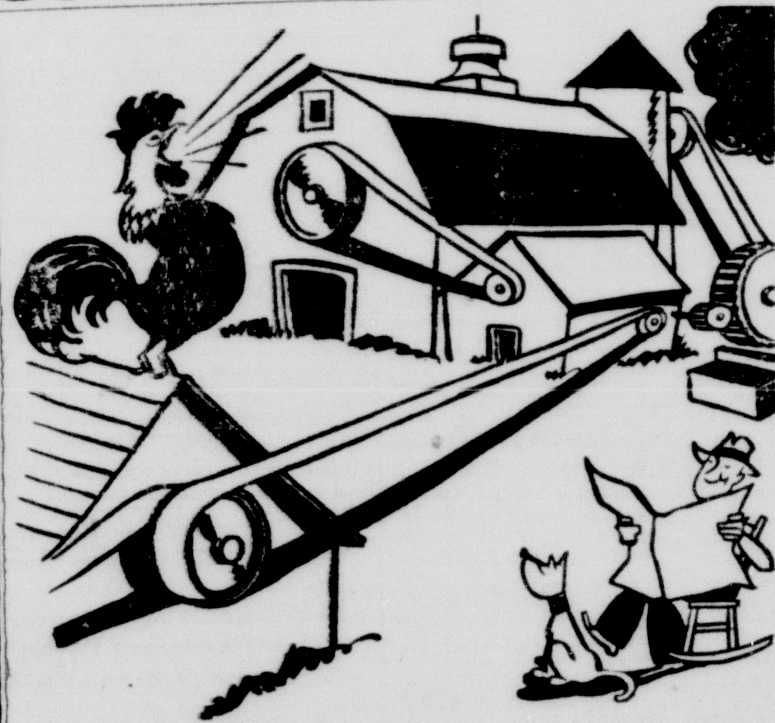
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# HIGH SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

FROM THE OWL

## DISTRICT 26 ALL-STAR DEFEATED NEW YEAR'S DAY 19 TO 0.

A picked squad of football players from this district were defeated at Smithville, New Year's Day by an all-star squad from district 18. The game was hard fought from start to finish, and the inability of the district 26 backs to stop their opponents' passing attack caused the score to mount higher than it should have. The passing combination, Burns to Wright, paved the way for two of their touchdowns. Another touchdown was handed them on a platter when the district 26 kicker failed to hit the ball when punting out from behind his own goal line. The line let a swarm of opposing players through, and one of the blocking backs was thrown into the kicker. Riley, Uvalde center, was the outstanding lineman on the field. Tarver, LaGrange back, and Burns, Smithville back, showed to good advantage in the opposing backfield, but it was Wright, diminutive backfield ace of Bastrop, who dealt the visiting team so much trouble. His punt returns, and runs after receiving passes, were phenomenal.

The district 26 team staged two drives down the field, one being stopped by an intercepted pass, and the other lost power the closer it got to the pay station.

The game was played before a large crowd, and proved a thriller in spite of the score. Perfect weather and a good field made the game an exceptionally fast one.

The district 26 team trained in Hondo, and was coached by Jimmie Green of Uvalde, and J. G. Barry, of Hondo. The squad left Thursday morning for Austin, and arrived there at noon. A visit was made to the University of Texas, and the boys saw quite a lot. A workout on the Stadium Field was held, and the team then left for Smithville, arriving about 5:30. We will let the boys tell what they did from the time they arrived until they left Saturday morning at 9:00.

The personnel of the district 26 squad was as follows: Ends, Bishop and Baugh of Crystal City, Parsons, of Hondo, and Johnson of Uvalde; Tackles, Stiegler of Hondo, Moore of Uvalde, Gannaway of Carrizo Springs, and Netherton of Crystal City; Centers, T. Taylor of Hondo, and Riley of Uvalde; Backs, Finger and E. Taylor of Hondo, Dilhartz, Sorrell, and Barley, of Pearsall; Stanton of Crystal City, and Haby of Uvalde.

### W. W. W. CLASS PARTY.

The W. W. W. Sunday School Class had a Christmas party Dec. 22, at the home of Miss Thelma Wilson with Misses Dorothy Ann Eckhart, Mary Ruth Cameron and Ora Harlee as assistant hostesses. Presents for the class members were put on a small Christmas tree which was beautifully decorated. The class song "Look For The Beautiful" and several Christmas songs were sung by the class, after which some business was discussed. Then the presents were given to the members and their teacher. Those present were Misses Mary Lois Barnes Dwyce Cameron, Eleanor Heven Evelyn Kimmey, Dorothy Ulbrich Lucille Van Fleet, Irene Barkulor Dorothy Ann Eckhart, Mary Ruth Cameron, Ora Harlee, Thelma Wilson, and their teacher, Mrs. Newton and Misses Elizabeth and Mary Ruth Wilson as guests.

### THE BASEBALL OUTLOOK.

The Hondo High School baseball team, which breezed through undefeated to the regional title last year, promises to be strong again this coming season. The pitchers have already started working out under Coach Barry, and as soon as the basketball season is over, Co-coach Flory and a host of candidates will report for practice.

Four lettermen form the nucleus around which another championship combination will be built. Embry, catcher, Rucker, at first, Parsons, at second, and A. Finger at short, will give a veteran combination in the infield. Three D'Hanis boys, Tom Finger, a left handed pitcher, Tom Grimsinger, a third baseman, and H. Rothe, outfielder, will bolster the team considerably. Taylor, Jones, Schweers, Miller, and Stiegler, will compete for berths on the team.

Editor: "What do you mean by telling me you have five years actual newspaper experience when you just finished your correspondence course in journalism?"

Scribe: "Well, sir, you advertised for a writer with imagination."—The Pathfinder.

## "EL CIRCULO ESPANOL".

El Circulo Espanol met on Tuesday night, December 22, for the second social meeting of the year. The illusion of a Mexican Christmas was carried out very cleverly.

First there was presented a tableau of the First Christmas. The curtain was raised bringing into view Mary, portrayed by Mary Lois Barnes, kneeling before the manger in which lay the Christ Child. By her side was Joseph, Joe Haegelin; As a mixed chorus composed of Thelma Wilson, Bernice Chancey, Margaret Dillon, Jack Muennink, Robert Zuberbueler, August Finger, and Frank Rucker sang "Holy Night", the three wise men, Vivian Neuman, Preston Langford, and Tommy Holloway, entered, knelt before Christ, deposited their gifts, and retired to the back of the stage.

Piano solos were played by Mary Ruth Wilson and Jack Muennink, and a violin duet by Gen Brucks and Bernice Speece.

Then two boxes were hung from the ceiling, one containing flour and the other candy. Robert Z. was blindfolded and given a stick to punch the bottom out of one of the boxes. Luckily, he punched the one containing candy, and there was a grand rush to get it. The members were then asked to place one shoe on the stage which "Santa Claus" filled with a toy, firecracker, and a sparkler. Fruit and cakes were then served to the members and guests.

The program committee, who cooperated with Mr. Fluker in directing this program, deserves much credit. It was composed of Lucy Davis, Irene Mechler, Elvira Schweers, and Jeanette Merritt.

### P. T. A. MEETING.

The P. T. A. regular monthly meeting was held in the High School auditorium, Monday afternoon, Jan. 11. After the reading of the Creed, the following program was enjoyed by everyone:

Vocal solo: "Cloud Shadows" by Rogers, Miss Lela Hazelle Boyd. Piano solo, "Waltz" by Chopin, Miss Margaret Dillon.

These musical numbers were followed by a most interesting talk on "Your Child, My Pupil. Our Common Interest" by Mr. McDowell.

The treasurer reported a balance on hand of \$69.74, however outstanding indebtedness will just about halve this amount.

The second grade won the prize for having the largest percentage of parents and friends present.

After the business session was adjourned delicious refreshments of tongue salad, saltines, French pastry and coffee were served, plate favors were small sprays of red berried pinon. Mrs. Phil Jagge was chairman of the hostesses and her assistants were Mesdames Hicks, Ben Oefinger, H. E. Haass, J. A. Horger, Tom Holloway, Jennings and Adolph Haegelin.

### PERSONALS.

Our dear editor has the mumps. Charlie Embry killed a deer (not dear).

August Finger, Thelma Wilson, Gladys Fusselman, and Margaret Dillon took Don Windrow, Albert Haegelin, and Lawrence Rothe to San Antonio Sunday night to catch the 11:59 train for College Station.

Dorothy Ann Eckhart spent the holidays in San Antonio.

Mary Emma Finger, Bernice Chancey, Tony Taylor, and Howard Rothe saw a show in San Antonio January 10th.

Margaret Dillon, Don Windrow, and Mrs. Joe Dillon spent the holidays in Houston.

Frances Barnes of Pearsall was a holiday guest of Mary Lois Barnes.

Bob Perkins from Fort Worth visited Dwyce Cameron for about a week during the holidays.

Elizabeth Lancaster spent the holidays visiting her grandparents in Brownwood and Fort Worth.

Irene Mechler spent part of the holidays in Castroville.

Pictures were made of the first seven grades, the senior class, the football squad, and the Girls' Glee Club. They seem to be a little better than the average school pictures. They will be shown on the screen at the Colonial Theatre Thursday and Friday of this week.

### "PAPA" BROXTON.

Have you noticed the grin on Mr. Broxton's face lately? Well, I'll tell you why it is there; he and Mrs. Broxton are the proud parents of a ten-pound boy, Malcolm Irwin, Jr., born Dec. 21, 1932. Congratulations.

## SENIOR CHRISTMAS TREE.

The dignified seniors enjoyed a Christmas tree on Wednesday afternoon, December 23. Before the gifts from the tree were distributed, a program was presented by some of the talented seniors which was as follows:

Vocal solo, "The Holy City"—Margaret Dillon.

Reading, "Christmas Reveries"—Dwyce Cameron.

Vocal solo, "O, Little Town of Bethlehem"—Thelma Wilson.

Cello solo, "La Paloma"—Mary Lois Barnes.

Piano solo, "The Rosary"—Jack Muennink.

The other musical numbers were accompanied by Jack Muennink.

Each member of the class received toys or "some little ole goofy thing" as one member of the class expressed it. Mr. Fluker, sponsor, gave each member a bag of fruit and candy.

## CHANGE OF TEACHERS.

Miss Vera Lee Cook resigned her position as teacher of the first grade and on Dec. 29, she was married to Mr. Charles Hall of Bryan, Texas. Their honeymoon was spent in Monterey.

After the holidays Miss Willie Fly, former teacher of the third grade, took her place as the first grade teacher, and Miss Perry Chamberlain of Bastrop is now teaching the third grade.

Debit and credit slips for sale at the Anvil Herald office.

## DR. ARMSTRONG A POET.

Among the Christmas remembrances received by the High School students was a very pleasing booklet entitled "Thoughts of a Moment." It is by Dr. Ed. Armstrong, Ph. D. Mus., director of the Music Department of the High School. The book contains a number of Dr. Armstrong's poems—The Thoughts of a Moment.

The inside front cover bids one not to take them too seriously but to select one as a favorite and be guided by it. The book offers such poems as the following to choose from: "Plain Truth", "The Philosophy of Life", "Over the Hill", "Life" and others.

Another ends the book appropriately with the following lines:

"Now there's the yarn, I've spun it;  
So take it as you will."

## BRIDGETTES.

Miss Doris Windrow entertained the Bridgettes at her home Saturday, January 9th. After five games of bridge were played Miss Gen Brucks held high score. Cut prize went to Evelyn Barnes and guest prize to Anna Laura Welhausen.

The hostess then served delicious hot chocolate, cakes and sandwiches to the following: Misses Evelyn Barnes, Lela Grace Reily, Ada Belle Carter, Anna Laura Welhausen, Milton Marie Merritt, Virginia Ulbrich, Billy Fusselman, Bernice Chancey, Rosenia Taylor, Mary Emma Finger, Gen Brucks, Mary Ruth Wilson and the hostess, Doris Windrow.

## CHRISTMAS CANTATA

The Girls' Glee Club presented "Hail, Messiah" by Ira B. Wilson, a Christmas Cantata depicting, in song, the first Christmas. It was given on Monday night, December 24th. Solos, duets, quartettes, and choruses were the features of the evening. The soloists were Misses Sarah Rothe, Thelma and Mary Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Roland Gaines, and Edward Armstrong, Jr. The invocation was said by Rev. P. E. Lancaster, pastor of the Methodist Church, and an address was given by Rev. Walter Liebfarth, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. A free will offering was taken. The cantata was directed by Ed. Armstrong and the pianists were Misses Dorothy Zerr and Josie Rothe.

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3rd. By the printing and issuing of New Currency by Congress.

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As to the 1st plan, it must be said that the people of the United States should not have any more interest bearing bonds issued for them and their posterity to pay. The people on account of low prices, cannot now get money to pay the interest due on bonds already hanging over them. Congress should give no heed to such a plan.

As to the last plan, it must be said that the taxes to be paid by these big incomes to meet these certificate payments are taxes which the big fellows can reflect back upon the common public in the form of increased profits, rents and interest, and the common public should not thus be imposed upon. Congress should refuse this plan.

As to the 3rd plan of payment, it must be said in the interest of justice, that this New Currency could be printed and paid out for the soldiers' service, and neither these soldiers nor anybody else should be taxed to return this money to the government. The government would not need it to be returned.

This money could, and should be issued as United States Legal Tender Paper Currency, and should remain out among the people serving them for all time, unless the volume should become so great as to need a deflation process, and then a graduated property tax, and a graduated income tax should be instituted for that purpose. It would be in keeping with better morals and higher statesmanship to issue this New Currency for Soldiers services, than to issue it for gold deposits.

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# D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

## Miss Viola Koch

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Koch is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1932

Mesdames F. Kunz and Joe Oussett of San Antonio were visiting Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and baby and Mrs. William McCellan and baby of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Brown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Batot had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Martin Batot and Mrs. Ernest Brotze of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Eugen Huesser and family of Hondo.

Mr. Arthur Pue and Miss Freida Dugosh of San Antonio were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Koch.

Mrs. Martin Ryan of San Antonio and Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., spent Wednesday with Mrs. W. F. Knippa in Knippa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Batot were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., is spending the week-end with Mrs. F. G. Muennink at Hondo.

Mrs. John Breiten and Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Breiten and children of San Antonio spent Thursday here with J. A. Batot and family.

Mesdames Joe Britz, O. W. Tondre and daughter, Sylvia, visited Mrs. F. G. Muennink Wednesday.

Mrs. T. E. Wyatt is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed Finger this week.

Miss Hilda Batot spent several weeks in Marion and San Antonio.

Fountain.

Sunday night, January 24th at 7 o'clock P. M. a splendid musical-literary program will be rendered in Bethlehem Lutheran church. All numbers on the program are intended to afford the hearers both pleasure and profit. You, your friends and neighbors are all cordially invited to come and hear and enjoy this program.

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The story of "Men of Chance" innocently starts out by having the heroine, Mary Astor, double crossed by a detective in order to win a conviction against her. John Halliday comes to her rescue as a friend but he double crosses her and makes her unwittingly a member of his confidential gang. Mary in turn double crosses Ricardo Cortez into marrying her, and then turns around and betrays him to his enemies, only to feel sorry and double cross the double-crossers.

The story was written by Louis Weitzenborn, author of the famous "Five Star Final".

On the stage bill the RKO-Vaudeville program offers a complete blend of song, comedy and athletics. The song is provided by members of the famous Roxxy Gang, John Griffin, tenor, Adelaide De Loca, contralto, Harold Clyde Wright, baritone, and Della Samoiloff, soprano.

The fun is represented by two different acts—Artie Lewis and Peggy Ames, and Fields and Bell. The former are patter comedians with a line of laughing material that comes under the head of sure-fire. The latter are eccentric knockabouts offering a series of acrobatic dances and bumps sprinkled with gags.

Earl, Jack and Betty, who complete the stage show, are roller skaters. Their routine consists of speed and fancy maneuvers.

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"Mac" Bridwell at the organ offers a novelty solo, while the bill is completed by Dave Smason, Pathe Sound News, and a selected short subject.

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### C. H. ROTHE ON INSPECTION TRIP TO TEXAS.

Clint H. Rothe, of Phoenix, Arizona, Assistant Plant Quarantine Inspector with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, in the date scale eradication work, stopped over with homefolks Saturday night enroute to the Rio Grande Valley.

After a consultation with the State Entomologist in Austin he will proceed to Laredo and the Rio Grande Valley for an inspection of all date palms in South Texas. He will be assisted by Mr. Caswell of Indo, California, who is making the trip with him and two more field inspectors from Texas, furnished by the Texas State Department of Agriculture.

Their plans are to complete the work within four weeks.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at the following places for the purpose of collecting State and County taxes for the year 1931, and Auto Tax for the year 1932, on the following dates in January, 1932:

Biry, 18th, 1 P. M. to 3 P. M.  
Natalia, 19th, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
Devine, 20th, 21st, 22nd, to 3 P. M.  
I desire to remind the public that a new Light Certificate must be presented with each application. A great deal of delay will be saved if everyone applying for license will remember this.

Respectfully,  
F. G. MUENNINK,  
Tax Collector.

### NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

I will be at the following named places on their respective dates for the purpose of taking assessments for the year 1932, and Farm Census for the year 1931:

Biry, Jan. 18th, 1 P. M. to 3 P. M.  
Natalia, Jan. 19th, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
Devine, Jan. 20th, 21st and 22nd, to 3 P. M.

Respectfully,  
L. E. HEATH,  
Tax Assessor.

# Castroville Cullings

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CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1932

On the night of Jan. 11, 1932, a surprise party was given by Mrs. B. FitzSimon in honor of her husband's birthday, being January 12th.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Stanley, Mrs. Waid, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hans, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schott, Miss Naomi Harris, Mr. Raymond Moehring, Mr. James FitzSimon, and Mr. and Mrs. B. FitzSimon.

After games had been played everyone was served with a plate lunch consisting of ham and pimento cheese sandwiches, potato chips, olives, pickles, cake, and coffee.

After an enjoyable evening was had by all, everyone wished Mr. FitzSimon "Many Happy Returns of The Day".

Mesdames Josephine Naegelin, Emil Biry and Bert Pope visited Devine Sunday.

Sunday the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Bourquin was Baptized in San Antonio. The little Miss is Mary Margaret, sponsors were Mrs. G. R. Hans and Mr. Clifford Keller.

Mrs. Ed. Keller, Mrs. Oscar Tondre and daughter, Silvia, of D'Hanis, and Mrs. Fritz Muennink of Hondo visited friends and relatives here Tuesday.

Mr. Adolph Ahr and daughter, Gladys, and Mr. and Mrs. August Mangold visited San Antonio Tuesday.

Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Lawrence and daughter went to La Pryor Sunday visiting friends.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keller was baptized Sunday. The name of the young man is Carroll Berthum. Sponsors were Mrs. Harry

Hans and Oswald Keller.

Mr. and Mrs. John Traggesser visited in San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. B. FitzSimon and children spent a few days at Devine last week. We failed to print last week Ben Vann and his mother moved to Comal county. We surely regret to lose such good friends and neighbors as they are.

Saturday Mr. Oscar Etter while hunting rabbits, had the misfortune to badly injure his hand, when the gun went off accidentally, removing the first joint of the index finger and the tip of his thumb.

Rev. Lawrence FitzSimon visited here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. de Montel had as their guests Sunday, Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass and daughter, Mrs. Fletcher Davis and daughter, Anne, and Ralph de Montel of Hondo. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yourzik, Mrs. Charles Muth, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Muth, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Elberg and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Hodge and son, Marshall, and Miss Hazel de Montel of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass, Sr. of Hondo visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass, Jr., Sunday.

County Clerk S. A. Jungman and family of Hondo visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

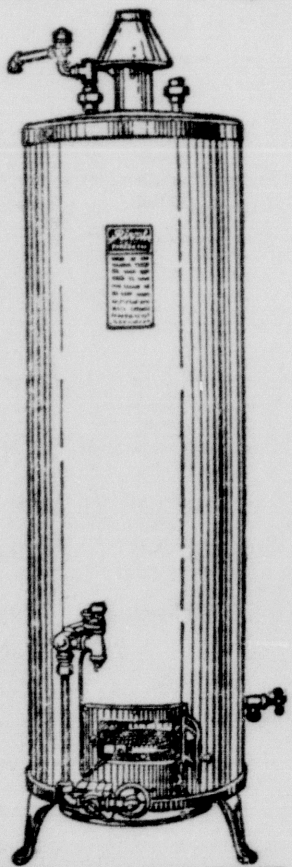
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# "PIE-NAPPLES"



"MOTHER, may I have a pip-pip...?" lisped the little girl excitedly. "Perhaps, dear, if you'll tell me what it is." "A pip-pip-pip..." "Are you pretending to be a little bird?" "No, mother. A pip-pip-pip..." "Spell it, dear." "Pie-napple!" "That doesn't spell anything." "Yeth it doth, mother," lisped the little girl, her tongue finally loosened. "It shpells pie made out of pineapple."

There are many pies made out of pineapple from which this little girl's mother might choose. Here are the recipes for some of them.

### With Other Fruits

**Pineapple-Cranberry Crisscross Pie:** Cook one cup cranberries, one-half cup seeded raisins and one-half cup water until the berries burst open. Add two-thirds cup sugar, the contents of one 8-ounce can of crushed Hawaiian pineapple, two tablespoons bread crumbs and one slightly-beaten egg. Pour into a pastry-lined pie tin, and lay narrow strips of pastry over the top, criss-cross fashion. Bake in a hot, 450°, oven for twenty or twenty-five minutes. This makes one large pie.

**Pineapple-Lemon Souffle Pie:** Add the juice and grated rind of two lemons to one-fourth cup water and the contents of one 8-ounce can of crushed pineapple, heat to boiling, and add three-eighths cup sugar mixed with two tablespoons corn-

starch. Cook until thick in a double boiler, add two slightly-beaten egg yolks (first heating eggs by adding a little of the hot mixture) and cook a few minutes longer. Cool slightly. Beat two egg whites stiff, add four tablespoons sugar, and fold into the first mixture. Pour into a baked pie crust and place in a slow, 300°, oven for fifteen minutes, or until set and brown on top. One large pie.

### With Crackers and Milk

**Pineapple Pie in Graham Cracker Crusts:** Melt one-half cup butter, add one-half cup brown sugar, and cook for a minute. Add one and one-half cups graham cracker crumbs. Take out two tablespoons of crumbs for the top and to the rest add one beaten egg white. Press mixture into a large pie tin using fingers dusted with flour, until it fits like pastry. Fill with filling given below, sprinkle with the reserved crumbs, and bake in a moderate, 350°, oven for fifteen to twenty minutes, or till set. One large pie.

**Filling:** Beat four egg yolks, add one cup condensed milk, then the contents of an 8-ounce can of crushed Hawaiian pineapple, slightly drained. Add three tablespoons lemon juice and a little grated rind, and fold in three stiffly-beaten egg whites.

**Pineapple Caramel Pie:** Make caramelized milk by boiling a can of condensed milk in water for two hours. It can then be kept for weeks. If too thick, simply add a

few drops of cream. Spread three-fourths cup of this caramel over the bottom of one large baked pastry shell, lay in the drained contents of two 8-ounce cans of pineapple bits, and pile sweetened whipped cream thickly on top. Sprinkle chopped nuts over all. One large pie.

### Envelopes and Tarts

**Pineapple-Raspberry Envelopes:** Cook together until thick the contents of an 8-ounce can of crushed Hawaiian pineapple, one-third cup raspberry jam and three tablespoons sugar. Roll pastry thin, and cut in four-inch squares. Put a large spoonful of the fruit in center of each square, bringing corners together, and either pinch together or hold with a toothpick. Sprinkle with sugar and bake in a hot oven for fifteen or twenty minutes. This makes eight envelopes.

**Luxor Tarts:** Beat one cup cream, Soften one-half teaspoon gelatin in two tablespoons cold water, and dissolve in four tablespoons boiling apricot syrup from a No. 2 can of apricot syrup. Add to whipped cream, and pour into baked pastry shell. Let till they are about half full. Chill and harden. Drain the contents of a No. 2 can of crushed pineapple, and press the apricots through a sieve. Spread a layer of apricot purée over the cream, then a layer of pineapple. Melt a little currant or quince jelly and spread over the pineapple, making a glaze. Makes ten fairly large or twelve medium sized tarts.